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EDWARDS WIRE WORKS COMPANY

The New Addition to South San Francisco's Rapidly Growing Industrial Colony--Factory to Be Erected at Once.

As announced in last week's Enterprise, a splendid new industry is coming to South San Francisco immediately. The E. H. Edwards Company, operating in San Francisco and the northwest will concentrate all its coast business at South San Francisco. The site fronts the railroad and comprises five acres between the Butler road and the steel works. The first unit to be constructed now consists of a factory building eighty feet wide by two hundred feet long. About \$75,000 worth of machinery will be installed in this building and will give employment to fifty skilled mechanics. The company manufactures

fencing, nets, barbed wire, telephone wire and all forms of wire products. A large galvanizing plant will also be installed. It is the purpose of the company to engage in the very near future in the manufacture of steel cables and wire rope.

George Wagner, a well-known San Francisco building contractor, has received the contract for building the factory. Mr. Wagner says that he has been instructed also to prepare plans for additional buildings, and that when the Edwards company gets under full operation it will take rank as one of South San Francisco's leading industries.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Made by the Agents of the E. C. Peck Co. in South San Francisco During Month of September.

Sold to Thomas Schmidt—West 10 feet of lot 33 and east 30 feet of lot 32 in block 102.

Sold to P. McCormick—West 16 2-3 feet of lot 19 in block 126.

Sold to J. Bertelsen—East 33 1-3 feet of lot 19 in block 126.

Sold to J. Tambellini—Lot 34 in block 82.

Sold to L. Battany—Lot 10 in block 115.

Sold to A. Cinelli—Lot 20 in block 101.

Sold to J. H. Ditton—East half of lot 10 and west half of lot 9 in block 84.

Sold to A. G. Gsell—North half of lot 18 in block 113.

Sold to N. Stearns—East 10 feet of lot 30 and west 30 feet of lot 31 in block 102.

Sold to C. Lencioni—East 33 1-3 feet of lot 28 in block 100.

Sold to Charles Nuno—East 20 feet of lot 31 and west 20 feet of lot 32 in block 102.

Sold to J. B. Shaw—Lot 13 in block 103.

Sold to T. Joyce—West 40 feet of lot 30 in block 102.

Sold to H. F. McNellis—Lot 37 in block 102.

Sold to M. A. Borba—Lot and house on lot 17 in block A of Peck's subdivision.

Sold to J. Hanna—Lot 22 in block 116.

Sold to J. Hanna—Lot 23 in block 116.

Sold to J. Hanna—Lot 24 in block 116.

Sold to J. Hanna—Lot 25 in block 116.

Sold to J. Colombo—West 37½ feet of lot 11 in block 126½.

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COMMERCIAL

SAVINGS

THE DUMBARTON VEHICULAR BRIDGE

The Redwood City chamber of commerce is actively engaged in formulating plans for a strong effort in behalf of the Dumbarton auto highway. Nearly all the municipalities in the county have already appointed committeemen to give active support to this matter. A number of the leading civic and merchant bodies of San Francisco have written letters of inquiry on this subject and have expressed a wish to participate in the proposed campaign.

The new map prepared by F. H. Drake of the San Francisco Peninsula Development Company reveals an accessibility feature by this route for San Francisco and this Peninsula with the great San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys twenty-five minutes shorter than by way of Oakland. A natural all-road route for the Lincoln highway to reach its great terminal, San Francisco, and the most inviting tourist route possible. This bridge would strip at one stroke all vestige of argument against San Francisco as an inaccessible island and would establish it as a more positive mainland city than any other water front community.

The Colma Garage quotes some good points about LUSTERALL for this section: It will not collect dust; is not affected by rain or mud; contains no acid; is a perfect auto body renewer and preserver; will outlast any other now used; is highly praised by thousands of California car owners, and with every can we say, "Satisfaction or your money back." We guarantee LUSTERALL. Try it. Adv.

G. BURNETT AND WIFE IN AUTO ACCIDENT

George Burnett, manager of the Six-Mile House on the San Bruno road and well known in South San Francisco, Mrs. Burnett, with Mr. and Mrs. Rogers of Visitation valley, were all painfully cut and bruised last night when thrown out of their automobile, near Miramar, on the coast.

The machine in which the two couples were returning from a pleasure trip, had a blowout, swerved and turned on its side. The occupants were all thrown to the roadway and were cut by a shower of glass from the broken windshield.

Passing automobiles picked up the injured and took them back to Quinlan's Cafe at Miramar, where they were given treatment by Dr. W. A. Brooke of Halfmoon Bay.

THE WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Woman's Club will meet Thursday, October 5th, at 2:30 p. m., in Lodge Hall.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS TOLD IN BRIEF

Miss Elizabeth Hyland has resigned her position as stenographer with J. W. Coleberd.

Rev. Leslie C. Kelley leaves this afternoon for a brief vacation in southern California. Services in Grace Church will be conducted by Chester Pratt at the regular hours.

The Ladies' Sodality of All Souls' Church gave an enjoyable card party last Thursday evening at the Capitol Hotel. The guests numbered ten tables.

Frank Knowles, formerly of this city and lately of Oakland, where he has been in the lumber business, left to-day for San Diego on account of ill health.

Mrs. S. Parr of San Francisco was a visitor here Wednesday.

Mrs. Santini Castro and daughter of King City, Cal., are visiting Mrs. J. F. Lopez for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. E. G. Evans, formerly of this city, was the guest of Mrs. J. O. Snyder Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Evans have been in Los Angeles for the last two years, but expect to reside in Burlingame in the near future.

J. O. Snyder has gone to Visalia for a few days in the interests of the Western Meat Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowe of Milwaukee, Wis., are here for a few days with Mrs. J. W. Coleberd, Mrs. Lowe's sister.

H. A. Cavassa is having the mezzanine floor of the Peninsula Drug Company's store in this city enlarged.

Mrs. George L. Perham of Hillsborough was the guest of Mrs. H. Clifford last Thursday.

The Betsy Ross Sewing Club met at the home of Mrs. R. W. Burge last Thursday.

The Ladies' Aid Society had its September meeting at the home of Mrs. T. C. Doak last Wednesday. Twenty-five ladies were present.

Mrs. E. P. Kauffmann entertained a few friends informally at her home last Thursday afternoon.

The E. C. Peck Company announce the immediate construction of a modern type of bungalow for L. Battany on his lot on Miller avenue, opposite the new Catholic church.

Rev. Mr. Williams, formerly of this city, was here last Saturday.

Miss Grace Hobler of San Francisco was the guest of Miss Mabel McColm Monday evening.

The South San Francisco fire department answered its first home call with the new apparatus last night at 6 o'clock. A coal oil stove in the kitchen of an Italian family in the northern district of town set fire to the walls of the kitchen. A garden hose extinguished the flames before the local truck arrived. Little or no damage was done.

N. D. Phelps, engineer of the Southern Pacific, with H. C. Baumann, architect, representing the George Wagner offices of the well-known San Francisco constructors, were here yesterday laying out the spur track service system for the new wire works.

Thursday evening the members of the Woman's Improvement Club had a whist party at the home of Mrs. W. J. Martin. About forty members were present.

The F. F. B. Sewing Club met at the home of Miss Dora Harder last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. L. Leonard and Mrs. E. Wilmarth, formerly the Misses Lily and Ethel Ferner of this city, are here visiting Mrs. Peter Lind.

RESIDENCE OF CHAS. YOUNG VISITED BY BURGLARS

Last Sunday night burglars broke through the kitchen window at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young. Mrs. Young was awakened by what she supposed to be a mouse, and was started to distinguish the form of a man crouching on the floor of her bedroom. Calling her husband, they were again surprised when two men fled from the house. The intruders evidently had not been in there long for nothing was taken.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

(By Charles A. Sands.)

The local high school has been entered in the San Mateo and Santa Clara interscholastic league. Miss Clifford was appointed delegate and Ralph Woodman representative of the high school at the meetings of the C. I. F.

Two interesting games of basketball were played Tuesday and Thursday between the two organized girls' teams. The teams are the "South City Highs" and the "Badens." The South City Highs proved victors on both occasions, the score being 6 to 8 and 6 to 14. On the former's side were Mary Kauffmann (captain), Loretta McLean, Margaret Carmody, Eva Kavanaugh, Myrtle Kiessling and Sylvia Doak. On the latter's side were Beatrice Eikerenkotter (captain), Polita Turnbull, Adeline Dischler, Opal Davis, Miss Clifford and Mildred Peck.

The Girls' Sewing Club met Wednesday as the guests of Adeline Dischler at the home of her parents. After an enjoyable time the club departed, well pleased with their reception.

A man is known by the polished condition of his car. LUSTERALL is considered the perfect auto body renewer and preserver, for it contains no acid. Your money back if not satisfied, by the South City Garage, corner Linden and Commercial avenues. Adv.

OBITUARY.

Died—In this city, this morning, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rhoda Corley, Mrs. E. A. Hollingsworth of Ukiah, Cal.

Mrs. Hollingsworth had been here but a short time and had planned returning to her home to-day, but was taken ill shortly after 4 o'clock this morning and passed away suddenly.

The deceased was a pioneer of California and drove her own ox team across the plains. Her experiences in the early days were thrilling and many.

Mrs. Hollingsworth was well known in many parts of this state and beloved by all. She was 82 years old.

The Enterprise, with the many friends here of the bereaved family, extends its sympathy.

MAN KILLED BY TRAIN NEAR S. P. TUNNELS

A poorly dressed man, unidentified, was killed by a Southern Pacific southbound train on the trestle between tunnels 2 and 3 in this county Wednesday night.

Mrs. A. McSweeney returned last Thursday from a visit to Stockton.

BUILDING PERMITS FOR LAST NINETY DAYS

Taken from Records of City Clerk's Office.

June 2d—L. C. Kelley, west half of lot 33, block 99.

June 9th—E. Lazzari, lot 33, block 100. Cost \$1600.

June 30th—Ambrose Tapelli, lot 30, block 118. Cost \$1900.

June 30th—H. Labourdette, lot 9, block 117, five-room cottage. Cost \$1700.

July 7th—Mario Bezzico, lots 13 and 15, block Q, five-room frame cottage. Cost \$1800.

July 7th—Moreno Armenino, acreage property of G. Ucelli, frame building. Cost \$1400.

July 14th—Albert S. Smith, lot 39, block 118, frame cottage. Cost \$1050.65.

July 14th—E. C. Peck, parts lots 1, 2 and 3, block 78. Cost \$3000.

July 14th—E. C. Peck Co., lot 33, block 102, four-room building. Cost \$2000.

July 28th—F. Pistoni, north half of lot 12, block 122, frame building. Cost \$1050.

August 11th—Antonio Capitali—North half lot 15, block 128, frame building. Cost \$2300.

August 11th—D. Palany, east half lot 24, block 124, frame building. Cost \$600.

August 11th—J. Bianchi, lot 5, block 115, frame building. Cost \$800.

August 30th—H. H. Knoth, lot 1, block 117, frame building. Cost \$4000.

August 30th—E. C. Peck, lot 17, block A, frame building. Cost \$1200.

September 14th—E. C. Peck, lot 5, block 103, frame building. Cost \$2200.

September 14th—E. C. Peck, lot 10, block 115, frame building. Cost \$2100.

September 14th—F. A. Cunningham and L. Kauffmann, west half of lot 22, block 124, two-story reinforced concrete building. Cost \$5000.

September 14th—L. Micheli, lot 39, block 100, frame building. Cost \$1800.

September 14th—E. C. Peck, lot 25, block A, frame building. Cost \$1200.

September 14th—H. C. Cassen, lot 30, block U, frame house. Cost \$1130.

September 27th—Joseph Benedetto, west half of lot 33, block 118. Cost \$1700.

September 27th—M. Silvera, west half lot 18, block 117. Cost \$600.

September 27th—P. McCormick, west third of lot 19 and east third lot 18 in block 126. Cost \$1000.

September 27th—James Carmody, lot 21, block 128. Cost \$600.

September 27th—George Wishing, lot 18, block 122. Cost \$1400.

J. H. Ditton—East half of lot 10 and west half of lot 9, block 84. Cost \$3000.

Mrs. J. W. Bates left to-day for a two weeks' visit to Visalia, Cal.

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FRATERNAL ORDERS

Impd. Order of Red Men.
(By Harry Edwards.)

Probably in no other element of social life does there appear so many opportunities for practical friendship

and practical assistance to mankind as within the ranks of a fraternal organization, but on the very threshold of our order the candidate is advised that the reward of service is within himself; that "no enjoyment can equal that which springs from the performance of a good action," and he who labors therein with the hope of material compensation is ever traveling a false trail and substitut-

ing a selfish purpose for a friendship he possibly does not feel. Yet to the honor of the fraternities of our city it can be justly said that kindness and friendship and assistance is being dispensed by them as never before. And why?

It is because the fraternal organization is divine in its inception. It is the fulfillment of a duty of man to man. It is because God made man mutually dependent, and because, as the body may hunger for food, so the mind and soul hunger for that cheer, kindness and friendship that brightens human life. Fraternity gives opportunity for the exercise of generosity, that ever springs in the minds of those who recognize their duty to mankind and a higher understanding of life's trust and best obligations.

The social features of a fraternity add strength to and are its life. We have our business purposes and aims, but the adage "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" is true. Tippecanoe Tribe so conducts its affairs as to provide for relaxation from business at such times as to keep the interest and attention of its members at the highest pitch. This Saturday evening twenty-five or thirty members of Tippecanoe Tribe will trail to San Francisco at the call of the state secretary of the California Hay-makers—the highest degree in a social way of the Improved Order of Red Men. A grand banquet will follow. Sunday next will be the first sleep in traveling moon.

We once wrote and now reiterate, the Degree of Pocahontas should be again established. God bless the ladies. They are the ray of sunshine, the star of hope, the oasis in the desert. Let us help them to maintain the degree. If necessary, give some wampum to help it along. The degree would be worth a hundred times more than its cost to maintain it.

Brotherhood of American Yeomen.
(By George W. Hagedorn.)

South San Francisco was the scene of the exaltation to the class initiation of Bay City Homestead, No. 5527.

Over 100 members of Yeomanry enjoyed the beautiful and instructive work performed by San Francisco Homestead, No. 1213, ladies' degree team, whose team are the prize winners over many competitive teams and have the ability of perfection that comes by study, practice and knowledge.

The positions on the team are as follows: Cora Ebersole, Cedric foreman; Karoline Stoll, Ivanhoe M. C.; Katherine Poppenberg, Lady Rowena; Gertrude O'Neil, courier; Fannie Kelly, overseer; Catherine Carlier, correspondent; Lillian Cluff, Isaac; Ollie Rae, Chaplin; Nicolasa Turner, Rebecca; Maud Passel, black knight; Grace Palkinghorn, watchman; Marie Jenkins, guard; Margaret Fife, court fool; Ruth Johnson, Gurth; Marie Halloway, leader; Helen James, leader.

The following visitors were present: R. C. Poppenberg, Arthur Poppenberg, William J. Jenkins, E. B. Holloway, Ellsworth James, Otto Stahl, W. J. Cluff, Al Passel, George M. Henry C. C. Holloway, Edw. Van Buskirk, Theo Potthoff, Eliz. Laren, J. Myhoe, Hazel Maury, Clarence Erickson, Thomas Fletcher, Mary Fletcher, R. L. Turner, N. Turner, George H. Johanson, Marvin Russell Jr., Mrs. Fred Russell and Mrs. Ledmith, San Francisco and San Bruno being well represented.

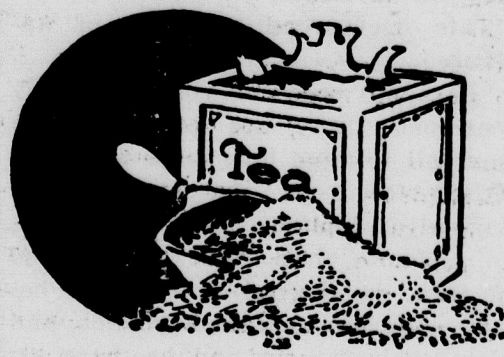
After hearing some interesting talks by the visiting members, Bay City Homestead archers invited their guests to partake of a bountiful luncheon that is making a reputation for the ladies of this homestead, for South San Francisco knows how to do it right.

Fraternal orders are founded for the good that can come to those affixing therewith. Not only is this so in the way of protection from the viewpoint of dollars and cents, but in many other ways is this so.

The elevation of the order and likewise the aggrandizement of the members from the viewpoint of better and nobler manhood. The fact should never be overlooked that as the world at large judges us, just so are we judged as we strive to make men and women better who come to our Yeomanry bond, just so shall they be in the eyes of their fellows.

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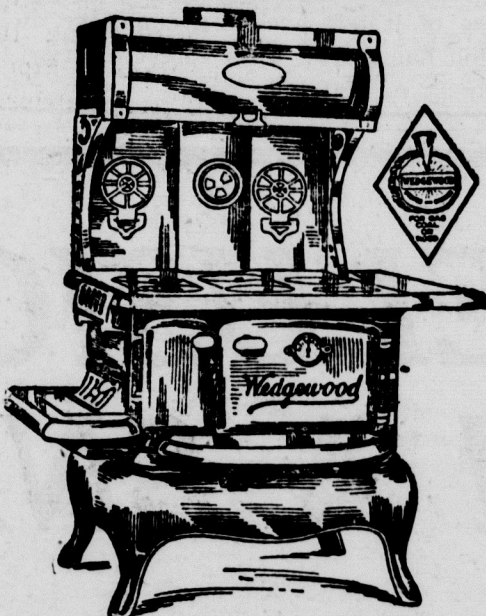
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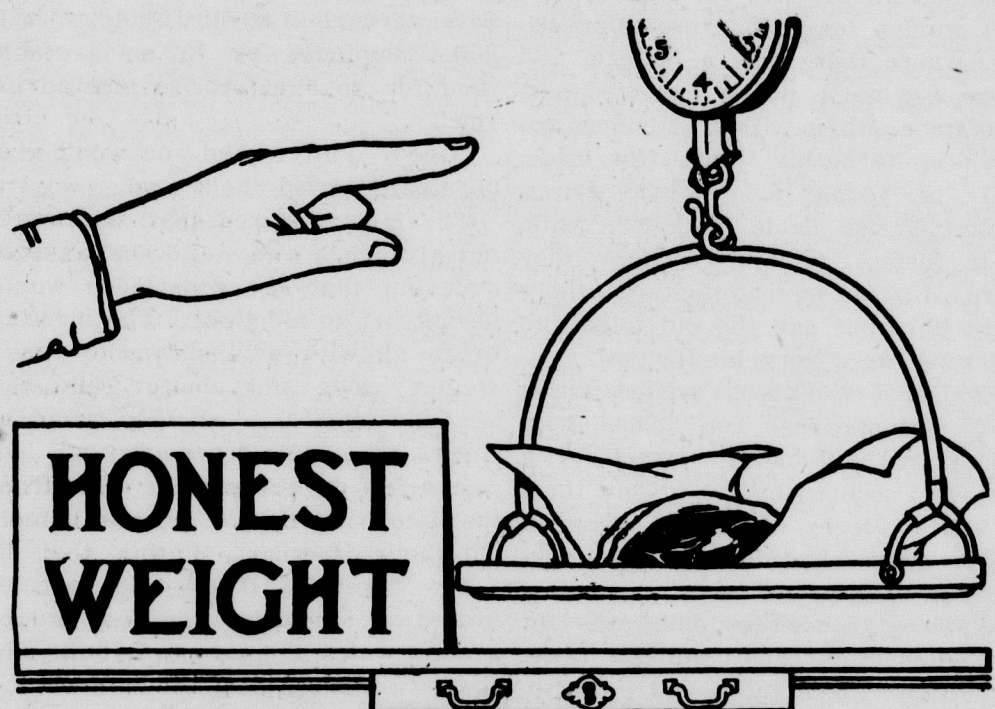


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Medlicott, Genuine Scotch wool, very heavy	2.25
Medlicott, Genuine Scotch wool, medium weight	2.00
Winsted Mills, all wool, double breasted	1.50
Winsted Mills, natural wool, single breasted	1.00
Heavy Cotton, gray and ecru colors	50c
Also a large assortment of Cooper's and Richmond Union Suits from	\$1.00 to \$3.50

W. C. SCHNEIDER

227 Grand Ave. South San Francisco

How the Town of Lady Bird Was Depopulated

What we now call the middle west was settled up in spots by very different peoples, and these spots, now cities or towns, show the differences to this day. One place will have been settled by refined people, and their descendants are refined; another will have been settled by a rough class, and its population will be rough to-day.

When one of these spots was in embryo—we will call it Eaglebird—its inhabitants were not naturally rough, but they were all men, and men without women will in time degenerate into wild beasts. No woman would go to Eaglebird because there were no women there. One or two of the men went east at different times to marry a sweetheart, but came back alone. When the girls learned that Eaglebird was exclusively a man town they invariably declined to exchange refined surroundings for a den.

There was a town not far distant from Eaglebird that we will call Ladybird. When the former was settled the latter had been a town for two decades. True, the Ladybirdians had run out the Indians, but they had all come to the region, men and women together, from Connecticut, where there was a college, and there was not a poorly educated person among them. But Ladybird had not been favorably located for trade, and its young men when grown sought busier fields of labor, while their sisters remained where they were. Instead of manufactures, there were libraries, and the old folks and the girls were very intellectual.

Eaglebird had been settled for a land speculation. Ten men with money had purchased a tract for a song and secured others to join them in settling it by offering a share in the property. In this way some forty men, mostly young and all unmarried, were secured as emigrants for the enterprise. They built a town, but no more men came, and owing to the absence of women there were no children.

O'Brien, who was the originator of the scheme, one day called a meeting in the town hall, a building 12 by 18, used principally for poker parties, and thus addressed the gathering:

"Gentlemen, if we can't get some women for wives we'll have to give up this scheme and go somewhere else. I've a proposition to make. There are more than fifty single women in Ladybird. Efforts have been made to induce some of them to marry our fellows, but they have turned up their noses at us. What do you say to swooping down on 'em and carrying 'em off?"

The idea took like wildfire. Naturally, the youngest men were the most enthusiastic. Thirty men agreed to join the abductors, and no one of them was over thirty years old, while the great majority were not twenty-five. This looked well for the scheme, for the girls they were to run off had nearly all been born since the settlement of Ladybird and were therefore young.

The very next day after the proposal of the abduction scheme a lady and her husband who were driving through the country with a view to establishing an emigration scheme stopped at Eaglebird and asked for entertainment for the night. They were accommodated, and so long had it been since the men had seen a woman that they treated the lady as though she were a queen. Every man in the town offered to serve her. In the evening they asked if she would not talk to them. It didn't matter what she said; they only wished to listen to the sweet, soft voice of a woman. She consented, and all adjourned to the town hall, where the lady was given a seat on the platform at one end of the room. This is what she said to them:

"Gentlemen, I don't wonder you wish to listen to a woman's voice. You are all refined men, roughened by living without woman's quieting influence. What you need is wives!"

There was a howl of response to

this that broke in upon the address. One man whose voice drowned the others gave away the scheme to abduct the young Ladybirds. He was howled down for doing so, since it was to be expected that he had rendered it abortive. When some sort of order was restored the lady spoke again:

"I am not sure but what your plan may be advisable."

This drew forth a burst of applause.

"Perhaps many of you," the lady continued, "who are educated men may call to mind how those men who settled Rome as you have settled Eaglebird invited their neighbors, the Sabines, to a feast and carried off their daughters. The women became attached to their husbands, and when their fathers and brothers attacked the Romans the women interposed and stopped the fight."

After another howl of approval the lady went on.

"I wouldn't advise so treacherous a method as inviting the Ladybirders to a feast. It is not necessary. Rather wait for some celebration during which the girls are out in a body. My husband and I intend to pass through Ladybird, and I will make inquiries as to a favorable time for your enterprise and advise you."

"Good! Bully! And you won't give us away?" cried the crowd.

The lady declared that she would not give them away, and she was not sure but that her conscience would permit her to aid them. The meeting broke up with wild cheers for their visitor, aider and abetter, and the next morning, amid another round of cheers, the couple drove away.

In a few days a message came from the late visitor, who signed herself Elizabeth Harrison, stating that in a few days May Day would be celebrated at Ladybird on the square around which the town was built and that at 4 o'clock in the afternoon the young people would dance around a Maypole. The children would first do the dancing, then the young men and women. But since there were but two or three young men in the town and they either invalids to too spiritless to go away from such a dull place, they did not count. Therefore it was expected that some twenty-five or thirty young girls would be dancing together, constituting a fine flock of Ladybirds to be seized and carried away.

Mrs. Harrison strongly advised preparing a portion of Eaglebird for their reception and that they be placed there together by themselves. No one should be forced into marriage; they should simply be held until they married from choice or it was evident that they preferred to return to Ladybird.

That they had been fortunate in securing the services and advice of a woman was evident to all. Some who had believed that the scheme would be the ruin of Eaglebird began to think that a number of the girls could be induced to remain with them as wives. What such persons chiefly dreaded was that the captives would feel outraged at their abduction and that most of them, taking to flight, would make good an escape.

Preparations were at once begun for the raid in accordance with Mrs. Harrison's advice. One end of the town was set apart for the girls and beautified so far as the men could beautify it, though, to tell the truth, this consisted chiefly in cleaning up, whitewashing, etc. There was also a cleaning up of the prospective husbands. There were but two or three razors in the town, and these were in constant requisition. Several men were appointed hair cutters and did a lot of shearing. The clothes the men had come in from the east were got out and refurbished. Altogether after the polishing a very presentable set of young men were ready for courtship and matrimony.

May Day opened bright and beautiful. All the teams in the town were harnessed, and some thirty good and true men started for Ladybird. At

noon they stopped in the wood a few miles from the town for lunch and rest, but by 2 o'clock were again on the march. About 3 they sent out a mounted scout to watch for the time fitted for the attack and waited.

Over the waving grass and wild flowers, through the young leaves, came the sound of feminine voices mixed merrily. Every man started to his feet. In a few minutes the scout rode into camp and reported that the girls were dancing about the May pole. O'Brien, who was the leader, gave the order to start, and, advancing to the cover of trees overhanging certain houses of the town, they left their teams and, forming a line of battle, at a given signal moved forward in perfect silence upon the enemy.

Their advance was heralded by a scream, but before they were discovered they were within striking distance. What surprised them was that instead of running away the girls sank down where they were, covering their faces and shrieking. So expeditious were the abductors that before the elderly folks of the town could even collect to observe what was going on every girl had been carried off and placed in a wagon.

Never was an abduction more easily effected. A few of the girls resisted as they were hurried away, but whether or no they deemed resistance useless their struggles were not violent. Once in the wagons, with a guard on either side, they remained quietly where they were, and the caravan set out for Eaglebird.

They had not been long on the way when a guard at one of the

wagons went forward to O'Brien and said:

"Some of the girls in the wagon I'm with are snickering."

"Snickering? Are you sure it's not hysteria?"

"Hysterics be hanged. It's a girl's real snicker."

Then came other reports of the same kind, and presently the girls began to take note of their abductors, then to ask what they were going to do with them, and before long the train was much like a picnic party.

Well, to make a long story short, Mrs. Harrison, on her visit to Ladybird had told of the predicament of a lot of nice young men going downward for want of wives, and after duly preparing the young ladies' minds, revealed the coming raid.

Gradually she won them over to permitting themselves to be abducted, assuring them that they would not be forced to marry unless they wished.

Within a few hours after the arrival of the train at Eaglebird there was a wedding, and before the day was ended there were two more. The number of spinsters each day grew beautifully less, and in the end but two of them returned to Ladybird.

Eaglebird is now quite a sizeable town, comprising churches, schools and all the requisites of civilization. A few great-grandfathers of the present generation are still honored as having been among the band that placed the town on a permanent basis by the raid on Ladybird. The latter town has disappeared, there being no trace of it left except a cemetery, in which has grown up a forest of trees.

—By F. A. Matchel.

FIND IMPRINT OF FOOT MADE CENTURIES AGO

Petrified Cast Dug Up by Workers
Twenty Feet Below Surface.

Redding, Cal.—The petrified imprint of a human foot believed to be that of an Indian maiden made several thousand years ago, was on exhibition here recently. The cast was found twenty feet below the surface by workmen digging an irrigation canal.

The Indian girl, on some errand, was thought to have stepped into soft dirt or mud. Water or wind then was believed to have covered the imprint with sand, which later formed a sandstone mold giving the details of the toes, ball of the foot and lines of the instep.

BULL UNAPPRECIATIVE; PEACEMAKER INJURED

Joseph Meadows of Los Angeles will have nothing more to do with bull fights. A humane disposition, he said, caused him to interfere recently when he saw a bulldog with teeth well sunk in a bull's flank, and he entered the field, pulled off the dog, and was tossing it over the fence, when the bull hit him. County hospital authorities found four broken ribs among Meadows' injuries.

Important.

"My dear, what shall I buy you for your birthday?"

"Consult our jeweler. He knows pretty well what my tastes are."

"And did you tell him anything about the state of my finances?"—Kansas City Journal.

"A DELUSION and A SNARE"

THE Anti-Saloon League is making a deliberate attempt to deceive the people of the State by offering the second amendment as an "Anti-Saloon measure." The Sacramento "Bee" on February 15th, last, said of this:

This second proposal is not an anti-saloon issue.

It is much more than an effort to regulate the liquor traffic.

It is a scheme to throttle the wine industry of California.

It is a measure as obnoxious as prohibition itself.

Under an alias and behind a mask it presents prohibition in the garb of an anti-saloon measure.

Under it no hotel, restaurant or cafe could serve California wine with meals.

No commercial body, fraternal organization, or individual giving a public banquet at a place of public resort could offer wine to guests.

No club could serve wine to its members.

No Summer resort could offer or give away wine to its patrons.

No grocery store or family liquor store could sell wine in sealed packages not to be consumed on the premises.

The thing is one of the most iniquitous offenses against personal liberty and the sacredness of individual rights ever thought of anywhere.

It is a fraud when it masquerades under the alias of "an anti-saloon proposition."

It is a farce when it claims to be merely a measure to "regulate the liquor traffic."

And it is an imposition throughout upon the voter, because it does not stand out in the sunlight under its true colors.

The voters of California are asked to vote on two prohibition measures. The first amendment on the ballot is absolute prohibition and says so. The second amendment on the ballot is also a prohibition amendment but masquerades as an anti-saloon measure. The principal difference between the two is that one goes into effect at the end of 1917, and the other goes into effect two years later.

REGISTER NOW AND VOTE NO AMENDMENTS 1 AND 2

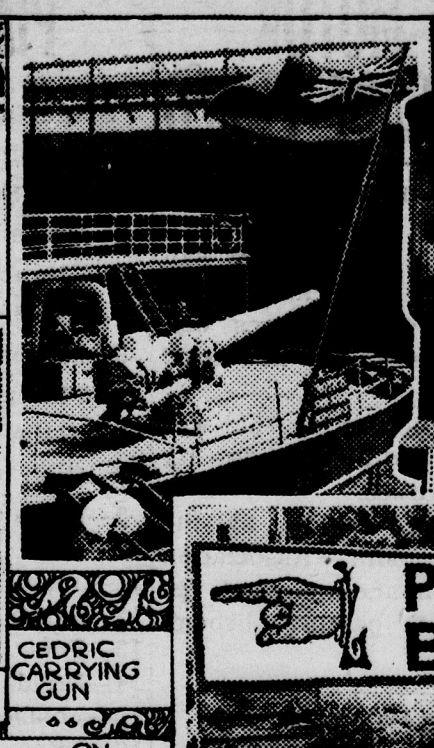
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QUEBEC BRIDGE BEFORE AND AFTER DISASTER



CEDRIC CARRYING GUN



N.Y. TROLLEY MOTORMAN PROTECTED BY SCREEN

POZIERES & BAPAUME

JACOB S. COXEY

News Snapshots Of the Week

On the Somme front the French and British offensive swept through the German lines, being brought nearer to the objectives of their present drive, Peronne and Bapaume; Italians began a new move on Trieste, while the Servians for the first time in a year fought on Serbian territory, threatening the Bulgarians around Monastir. The increased activity of U boats has caused many of the allies' large merchantmen to arm with four inch guns. After the collapse of the Quebec bridge span, which killed eleven, Canada at once started an investigation to place the blame. Street, subway and "L" cars were covered with steel netting to protect motormen from harm during second New York city traction strike. Spain plans to capture and intern Mulai Hafid, ex-sultan of Morocco, who has started another rebellion.

CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS IN BRIEF

News of All Kinds Gathered From Various Points in the State and So Reduced in Size That it Will Appeal to All Classes of Our Readers.

The price of tuna has jumped to \$45 per ton.

Coronado's society leaders will appear in an actual "movie" soon.

Over 200 grown people have joined the night school of the Redondo Beach Union High School.

In California in 1915 there were 46,412,143 acres assessed, while this year there were 49,255,160.

Considerable damage has resulted to the almond crop in the Chico vicinity by the rain, it was reported.

Lightning struck in several places in San Francisco and Oakland during the electrical storm of last week.

Members of the Orland Project Water Users' Association have organized the National Farm Loan Association of Orland.

The Pasadena Board of Education has provided for a daily flag ceremony at each of the public schools during the coming year.

Mrs. Lottie Nelson, known as Helen Montgomery, of Stockton, was sentenced to eighteen months in San Quentin for forgery.

The total indebtedness of the counties of the State has increased about \$4,000,000. In 1915 it was \$62,628,614 and for 1916, \$66,370,265.

Too much overripe fruit is said to be responsible for an epidemic of gastritis which Dr. C. F. Camp says has broken out at San Pablo.

Forty cans of young trout are to be planted in Nevada County streams next week. The shipment was from the Sisson hatchery.

The Board of Education voted to provide an elective course of military training, under the officers reserve law, in the Pasadena High School.

Hillsborough, city of millionaires, which already has one of the lowest tax rates in the State, announced a 14-cent reduction for the coming year.

By sending out 127 men to various jobs in one day, the California State free employment bureau on September 19, broke all records for that office.

Unusually early rains, accompanied by thunder and lightning, promised to do considerable damage to the late table grape crop in San Joaquin county.

The work of building the Churn creek siphon at Redding will require 4200 feet of reinforced concrete and 500 feet of castiron pipe, three feet in diameter.

While trying to save his grandchildren, Dominic Sitala, an aged Italian, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the home of his son-in-law in San Jose.

The Supreme Court has declared the Palermo Land and Water Company a public utility and ordered the company to supply water to the land in the Palermo Colony.

San Francisco is to have a psychopathic hospital for the care and cure of drug users if the plans of the physicians and directors of State Hospitals do not miscarry.

Residents of Santa Ana have been alarmed, and somewhat excited, over the actions of an unknown person who comes in the stealth of night and peeps into their windows.

The construction work on the Churn

creek siphon under the Sacramento river at Redding, one of the largest siphons on the Pacific coast, is being rushed to completion.

Orders have been received at Fort Rosecrans for the return of the two batteries of the Twenty-first United States Infantry, now stationed at Yuma, Arizona, to the border.

In a decision rendered by Judge W. B. Wallace of the Superior Court at Visalia, all disputes as to water rights on the Tule river, near Porterville, have been settled by stipulation.

The State Board of Health has received a report from W. E. Dozier, Health Inspector, that Susanville, the county seat of Lassen county, is suffering from an epidemic of grip.

The City Fathers have fixed the Whittier city tax rate at \$1.67. This is a reduction from last year, when the rate was \$1.74, although it is not yet as low as the rate of two years ago, \$1.61.

California citrus fruit growers are pleased over the news that the embargo which Australia placed on American citrus fruits last February has been removed for California and Arizona.

Janitors of Pasadena schools have been relieved of the task of raising and lowering the Stars and Stripes on the school grounds and the duty will be imposed on a squad of four boys at each school.

A buck was killed on the last day of the season by William Casey Jr., near his home at San Lucas. The deer was an old one and weighed 237 pounds dressed. Hunters have been trying for years to get it.

The value of property in the State of California has increased \$266,699,690 during the year 1916, according to the reports of the County Auditors of the State, just compiled by State Controller John S. Chambers.

After the freeholders had completed their work of preparing a charter for the city of Lodi it was found a mistake was made in the first step of the proceedings, that of taking the census to ascertain if the population was at least 3500.

Announcement was made by the Union Oil Company that it had inaugurated an eight-hour working day for the employees in its plant at Oleum, as well as substituting a regular monthly salary for the present hourly wage scale.

Formal approval of plans for launching the United States submarine L-7 Thursday, September 28, has been received at Long Beach from the Navy Department by the California Shipbuilding Company, constructor of the vessel.

James Benton, who lives in Santa Barbara, catches rattlesnakes for a living, and this week sold thirty-six of the reptiles for \$12 each to Oxnard Chinese, who value them for medicinal purposes, drugs being compounded from the venom.

Ill feeling existing between enlisted men of the Fifth California Regiment and the negro population of Sacramento resulted in a near-riot, when 100 guardsmen charged a score of negroes who had congregated on L street, between Fourth and Fifth.

Lightning that accompanied the rain storm in Oroville caused a loss of several thousand dollars and plunged the city in darkness for several hours when it struck the Coal Canyon power house of the Oro Electric Company and burned it to the ground.

Women students at the University of California will exceed the men if the rate of increase continues for another year, according to statistics just issued by the office of the recorder. Of 1757

new students registered this semester, 881 are men and 876 are women.

For twenty years George Van Buskirk, 85-year-old Yuba county pioneer, lived in the darkness that cataract of the eye brought on, only to see the light once more, following an operation performed last week by Green brothers at the St. Francis Hospital in San Francisco.

An inspection of all railroad crossings in Merced county is in progress by R. S. Ashworth and T. J. Garey, representatives of the State Railroad Commission. As a result many trees and other obstructions are to be ordered down in a safety-first campaign that will greatly aid autoists.

On account of the unprecedented demand for minor coins throughout the country, the San Francisco Mint has been placed upon a twenty-four hour working basis. Instead of one shift of eight hours, as heretofore, the money-making machinery of the plant will be kept going by three shifts working eight hours each.

Either oil barge No. 8 or No. 9 is to be ordered to proceed to San Diego in the near future, according to reliable information received at Mare Island from Washington, as the department wants to have everything in readiness when the new liquid-fuel type of destroyers arrive on this seaboard from the Atlantic coast.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has issued a warrant for the arrest of D. F. Anderson of Garden Grove, who is said to be the man who drove his auto into a flock of sheep near the county highway near Chatsworth, speeding away without offering assistance, after killing twelve and injuring eight of the animals.

Upon a piece of brown wrapping paper, Mrs. Clara E. Bowen, who died recently, wrote her will bequeathing a \$2500 estate to several near relatives. The will was filed for probate in the Superior Court of San Francisco. There were no witnesses to the will. It was written in pencil. According to attaches of the County Clerk's office, the document will stand.

Ground has been broken at the Old Soldiers' Home at Sattelle for the erection of a group of cabins to be known as the "Veterans' Court Cabins." The group will consist of twelve one-story buildings of 18x24 feet, which will be equipped with steam heating, electric light, closets, toilet and bathrooms, and every essential comfort. The improvement will cost \$4000.

A jury brought in a verdict of guilty against Cyrus L. Adams, a Los Angeles printer, formerly of Orange, who was charged with criminal libel in that he circulated during a city campaign at Orange, a handbill charging J. W. Morrison, K. E. Watson and Ralph Fuller of Orange with receiving \$100 each for voting for Miguel Estudillo of Riverside for the State Senatorial nomination eight years ago.

The best bean crop ever produced in the San Fernando Valley has just been harvested on the Marian Acres, owned by Jacob Jepson. Seventy-three thousand, eight hundred and fifty pounds of Tepary beans were threshed from 27 acres of land, and the straw weighed 60 tons when baled. This averages a trifle more than 30 sacks of 90 pounds each per acre. This crop was produced on land which has never been irrigated and which has not been plowed for two years.

Many thousand dollars' damage was done in Salinas last week in the worst hailstorm ever experienced. The hailstones measured an inch and a half in diameter and chickens and small birds

were killed, many apples trees were stripped of fruit and leaves and there are very few skylights or windows with a west exposure not broken. The hailstorm lasted but thirty minutes and fortunately was confined to the beet lands, and but little bean land was devastated, and the hailstorm covered an area of four square miles.

End of the Story.

"Oh, if I were only beautiful," she sighed artfully.

"I wouldn't care if I were you," he said. "You are very intellectual and you have a sweet disposition. Besides, you are nice to your mother, and all that is much better than being beautiful."

And he was never invited to see her again.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Happy Boys.

"The Smithers twins are so much alike that their own mother can't tell them apart."

"That must be rather confusing."

"It is, but the boys don't mind it. Their mother never dares to whip either of them for fear it might be the wrong one."—Exchange.



A CALLOT MODEL.

A fascinating evening gown is this French affair developed in an exquisite chiffon brocade and satin striped fabric. One sleeveless side contracts wonderfully with a metal lace scarf sleeve, the lines being all grace. Soft blue, cream lace and gold thread are the shades and motifs of this frock, which may well be termed a "creation."

HE KEPT US OUT OF WHAT WAR?

Disingenuous to Boast That It's
Through Any Act of Wilson
We Are Out of the European Contest.

RATHER SHOULD BE BLAMED FOR MEXICO BELLIGERENCY

During the Present Administration We Have Seized a Mexican Port and Sent Our Entire Army and Militia to Fight Mexicans While Armed Mexican Forces Have Invaded American Soil and Fought Battles Against Our People.

Sometimes you hear men, sensible men, too, say, "I'm going to vote for Wilson this year because he kept us out of war."

Ask such men a short question. Ask them, "Out of what war?"

Did Mr. Wilson keep us out of the European war? No. He has himself in a formal address to congress spoken of the European war as "a war with which we have nothing to do, a war whose causes do not touch us." How could Mr. Wilson keep us out of a war with which we have nothing to do and whose causes do not touch us?

Did he keep the rest of the western hemisphere out of the European war? No independent nation on this side of the world is involved in it; the only people in it are the colonies of European powers and they had no voice in their fate, for they were automatically at war when their mother governments went to war. Who kept Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Peru, out of the European war? Did Mr. Wilson?

Did Mr. Wilson keep us out of war with Mexico? No. In his term more Americans have been killed by Mexicans and more American property has been destroyed by Mexicans than by Spaniards during the whole Spanish war. In his term we have seized a Mexican port and have sent our entire regular army and militia to fight Mexicans. In his term Mexican armed forces have invaded American soil and fought battles against our people within our boundaries.

President Taft went through two Mexican revolutions during his term, the revolution against Diaz and the revolution against Madero. American lives were safe in Mexico during that time. No Mexican cities were seized by Americans and no armed Mexicans invaded the United States while Mr. Taft was in the White House. Yet Mr. Taft never thought of asking the American people to vote for him because he kept us out of war with Mexico. He put an embargo on arms so that American weapons would not be sent across the boundary, and he refused to interfere in Mexican affairs. When he left office Mexicans liked Americans, and Americans were safe in Mexico. Since he left office Mexicans hate Americans and Americans dare not remain in Mexico. Did Mr. Wilson keep us out of war with Mexico? Not if words mean anything.

Mr. Wilson did not keep us out of the European war, and he did not keep us out of war with Mexico.

Out of what war, then? —Detroit Free Press.

AN UNBIASED VIEW.

Comment in Washington Shows Hughes' Speeches Have Concrete Effect.

From Washington correspondence New York Evening Post:

It is idle even for the Democrats to claim that Mr. Hughes' speeches have not been effective. Whether or not they have seemed so to the voters in the west and northwest is something very difficult to judge at this distance, but it is not to be denied that right here in Washington Mr. Hughes' utterances have had a very concrete effect. It is an ill wind that blows no good. The rumormongers that Mr. Hughes has stirred up about civil service reform has really got under the skin of the administration. It is something which the president and his political advisers carelessly ignored. So it is with a portion of Mr. Hughes' criticism of the Mexican policy. When he argues that the paramount duty of the United States is to protect its citizens abroad in their lives and property he is standing on unimpeachable ground. And the administration knows it. The effect certainly of Mr. Hughes' remarks will be to stiffen the hand of the administration in dealing with a question of protection for Americans abroad.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

RE-ELECT



JIM CASEY

SUPERVISOR

His Name Appears on All Ballots

General Election, November 7, 1916

"Path of Gold" Celebration San Francisco—

October 4 and 5
"Home-Coming Week"

Festival of Illumination
Pageant's and Open Air Dancing

See the "Bright Lights of Market Street"—
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Wonderful Electrical Effects

Grand Fancy Dress and Masque
Ball at Civic Auditorium

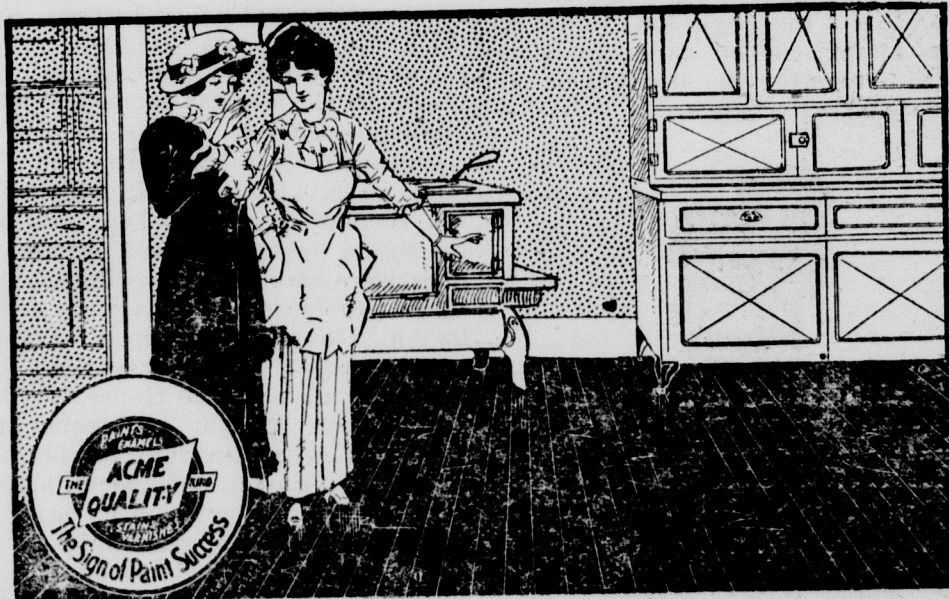
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Write for Booklet on Apache Trail of Arizona



Use More Paint Do Less Scrubbing

Painted kitchen floors are sanitary and easy to keep clean. The smooth hard surface will not allow dirt to "sink in." There's no need of the work, worry and backaches caused by scrubbing bare wood floors.

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are inexpensive—about six cents a square yard for two coats. They are easy to apply—you can do it yourself—and they dry quickly. Ask at our store for color sample card, which tells you about painting, staining, varnishing and waxing floors.

SOUTH CITY LUMBER AND SUPPLY CO.

SAN BRUNO MOTOR CRUSADE ENDED

The crusade against autoists on the state highway that has been waged by City Recorder J. M. Custer of San Bruno was brought to an abrupt end to-day when the city trustees discharged the two men Custer had hired to trap autoists.

In their place a deputy marshal will be appointed, who will report to City Marshal Charles Brose.

Custer has been charged by the California Automobile Association with using high-handed methods in fining automobilists passing through San Bruno.

LADIES' AID NOTES

The Ladies' Aid social held at the home of Mrs. Doak on Wednesday afternoon proved a very enjoyable affair.

A large number of ladies were present and several new names were added to the roll of the Ladies' Aid.

Miss Smith favored the company with several of her delightful whistling solos.

The next social will be held on October 25th at the home of Mrs. Duncan on Spruce avenue, Mrs. Savage assisting in the entertainment.

Food Sale.

The regular monthly food sale will be held on Saturday, October 7th, Mrs. Whitten being chairman of the committee. Those friends having the meat pie pans belonging to the Ladies' Aid will confer a favor by leaving same with Mrs. Whitten or the president, Mrs. Stearns, early in the week.

Reception.

The ladies of the M. E. Church are preparing to give our new pastor, Rev. W. T. Miller, a reception on Monday evening, October 9th.

The reception is to be held in Lodge Hall, as the Fraternal Brotherhood have kindly given us the use of the hall for that evening.

A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the church to be present on that occasion and give our pastor a royal welcome.

SAN MATEO'S MONKEY FOOLS EAGER POSSE

A posse of determined men, armed and with a pack of eager bloodhounds, has been on the trail of the "vicious ape" since Thursday night, when the simian attacked the twin infants of Alfred L. Meyerstein, the San Francisco capitalist, and was routed only after a brave fight by their nurse, Miss Edith Thomas. Miss Thomas says that the ape was about the size of a well-developed eight-year-old boy. Mrs. A. Mighall of Portola, former owner of the simian, insists that the now hunted ape measures up to the plans and specifications of a female tabby cat.

Last night the monkey was reported in the vicinity of the Meyerstein estate again.

Meyerstein says he will file action for civil damages against J. M. Williamson, owner of the truant animal.

Monday afternoon the Delphian section of the Woman's Club will hold its first lecture under the direction of Mrs. Bacon at 801 Grand avenue. Mrs. Bacon will talk on Egypt, where she lived for many years.

PIANO CONTEST

Standing of the contestants for the week ending September 22d: Votes

1—Rita Schmidt	6,250
2—Grace Eschelbach	4,110
3—Eleanor Morton	247,040
4—Elizabeth Monize	44,830
5—Marion Fischer	96,640
6—Florence Bonetti	248,270
7—Nellie Bortoli	6,050
8—Cecil Chadwick	14,390
9—Irene Galli	28,950
10—Ruth Meier	18,925
11—Juanita Brown	5,155
12—Sarah M. Doak	3,595
13—Peter Speros	2,500
14—Freida Stuermann	3,435
15—Louise Beltrami	104,150
16—Ellen Hyland	3,010
17—Beatrice Neilan	5,505
18—Amelio Signorella	4,985
19—Virginia Chicacci	4,600
20—Rose Mirata	3,420
21—Alma Chicco	2,000
22—Alice Stearns	4,990
23—Marie Smith	3,450
24—Maud Wallace	3,065
25—Emma Johnson	3,420
26—Helen Dunbaugh	25,000
27—Anna Coombs	2,000
28—Juanita Dean	2,495
29—Emily Fourcans	3,510
30—Harold Wodman	2,990
31—Eleanor Hynding	5,270
32—Evelyn Brown	3,310
33—Elizabeth Lynch	3,045
34—Beatrice Farrell	3,395
35—Pearl Ingersoll	17,500
36—Methuia Castro	4,890
37—Leta Lloyd	45,665
38—Aida Mazzoni	147,045
39—Palma Mancusa	7,780
40—Adele Locatelli	2,660
41—Gilda Piconi	8,125
42—Ruth Bissett	2,980
43—Anfle Castro	14,525
44—Edna Broner	10,075
45—Alicia Signorelli	2,410
46—Miss Moss	2,000
47—Catholic Hall	93,275
48—Francis Carr	2,000
49—Georgie Wishing	2,400
50—Rose Varney	2,000
51—	
52—Laura Wilson	2,000

Ask for votes at all stores; they all have them.

Deposit votes at Peninsula Drug. This contest is being conducted by the music department of the Peninsula Drug Company, under the direct supervision of the amiable manager, Manuel Bernardo.

ASHES KILL COLUSA CHICKENS.

The deposit of ashes and lye in the garbage cans around Colusa of late for sanitary purposes caused the near-by ranchers the loss of many chickens and turkeys. The garbage collected was used to feed their hogs and poultry.

ORDINANCE NO 91.

An Ordinance Imposing a License Tax Upon Laundry Routes in the City of South San Francisco.

The Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Every person, firm or corporation, either as principal or agent, who maintains a laundry route, or who carries on a laundry business as agent, solicitor, representative, or employee shall pay a license tax of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) per annum, payable quarterly in advance, unless the master or principal has paid such license tax. It shall be unlawful to carry on or solicit for such laundry business until said tax shall be paid; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall apply to any persons, firm or corporation having a fixed place of business within the City of South San Francisco where laundry work is done.

Section 2. Every person who shall violate any of the terms of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor

and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) or by imprisonment for not more than one month, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Each day's continuance of violation of the terms of this ordinance shall constitute a separate offense and shall be punishable as herein provided.

Section 3. Ordinance No. 68 of the City of South San Francisco entitled "An ordinance imposing a license tax upon laundry routes in the City of South San Francisco," passed and adopted May 19th, 1913, is hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be published once in "The Enterprise," a weekly newspaper printed, published and circulated in the City of South San Francisco and shall take effect and be in force from and after the expiration of thirty (30) days from the date of its passage.

Introduced this 20th day of July, 1916. Passed and adopted as an ordinance of the City of South San Francisco at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco this 7th day of August, 1916, by the following vote:

Ayes, Trustees F. A. Cunningham, M. F. Healy, G. H. Wallace and J. H. Kelley.

Noes, Trustees G. W. Holston. Absent, Trustees none.

Approved: J. H. KELLEY, President of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco.

Attest: W. J. SMITH, City Clerk.

By J. C. MCGOVERN, Deputy Clerk.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The lot selling agency in the platted district of South San Francisco has been placed in charge of E. C. Peck & Co.

Mr. Peck's office in this city is located in the hotel building and the San Francisco offices occupy the entire second floor of the Flannery building on Market and Kearny streets.

A house building organization is operated in conjunction with this agency. Salesmen desiring to handle lots in this district will apply direct to E. C. Peck & Co. at the above address.

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO LAND AND IMPROVEMENT CO.
By W. J. Martin, General Manager.

For Rent—Store on San Mateo avenue, San Bruno; building 34x68; fronting on two streets; cement basement under whole building; five-room flat upstairs; will give lease. E. E. Cunningham & Co. Advt.

Every Saturday at the Linden Hotel, piano and harp lessons given by Mrs. A. A. Kishon (nee Vandenbos); terms reasonable. Advt.

For Rent—For housekeeping, two and three rooms. Inquire P. Palla, Central Hotel, corner of Lux avenue and San Bruno road. Advt.

J. Monize, tonsorial artist, at 222 Grand avenue, is agent for Progress Laundry, whose cleaning and dyeing is done in a first-class manner. Advt.

100 LOTS SOLD IN LAST 90 DAYS TO SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO PEOPLE

DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE CHOICE LOTS
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Secure That Lot Now

Terms—10 per cent down and as low as \$5.00 per month.

222 LINDEN AVENUE

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OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE